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Title:

ELECTROSTATIC CHUCK HAVING BONDED STRUCTURE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

1. Papers enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b) (Regular) are:

- 16 Page(s) of Specification
- 2 Page(s) of Claims
- 1 Page(s) of Abstract
- 2 Sheets of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-4)

B. Other Papers Enclosed

- [x] A Patent Application Bibliographic Data
- [x] A combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- [x] A Claim for Priority and a certified copy of:

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Application Number

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January 30, 2001

[x] An Assignment Transmittal and Assignment of the invention to:

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3. Nonpublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

[] Applicants hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

[] Applicants hereby request that the attached application **not** be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

4. [x] Amend the specification by inserting, after the title and before the first line, the paragraph:

--This application claims priority from Japanese Application 2001-022294, filed January 30, 2001, the entirety of which is incorporated herein by reference.--

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